

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

6:69cv07941-BB

vs.

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Section 7, Village of Chama

Defendants.

MOTION TO JOIN ADDITIONAL PARTIES DEFENDANT

COMES NOW the Plaintiff State of New Mexico, *ex rel.* State Engineer and requests the Court to join as additional parties the persons or entities named below and order them to answer the State's Complaint in this action as required in any civil action in the United States District Court or suffer default judgment against them. In support of this motion, the State asserts:

1. The persons or entities listed below are diverting and using or may claim the right to divert and use surface or underground waters within the Rio Chama Stream System.

Ella D. Koontz CHTA-001-0009A

J. F. Koontz CHTA-001-0009A

Anne Marie Koontz CHTA-001-0009B

John Courtney Koontz CHTA-001-0009B

James W. Mundy CHTA-001-0009C

Susan J. Mundy CHTA-001-0009C

These waters belong to the public and are subject to appropriation in accordance with laws of the State of New Mexico. This Court has exclusive jurisdiction to adjudicate all claims to the right to divert, store, or use public waters of the Rio Chama Stream System.

2. The persons or entities listed above are in Section 7 of the Rio Chama Stream System, and may be diverting and using water associated with the subfile numbers listed, or may otherwise be using or diverting surface or underground waters within Section 7 of the Rio Chama Stream System.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 7th day of January, 2009 I filed the foregoing electronically through the CM/ECF system which caused the parties on the electronic service list, as more fully set forth in the Notice of Electronic Filing, to be served via electronic mail.

/s/ Ed Newville
Edward G. Newville